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## GRADUATION WEEK ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED

### Present Benefit Performance Tonight

#### Proceeds Go To JC Student Loan Fund

For the fourth consecutive year, the Vera Getty dance studio will present a program for the benefit of the jaysee Student Loan fund at the Santa Ana Senior high school auditorium tonight, announced Director D. K. Hammond, secretary of the fund.

A varied group of dances will be put on by students of Miss Getty tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Tickets are on sale at the Santa Ana Book Store at prices of 35 cents for adults and 10 cents for students, Director Hammond declared.

The sum of \$133 was donated to the Loan fund last year by the studio, following a similar performance. Miss Getty, a graduate of the college, has recently been on a national tour as a member of a dancing troupe.

Other faculty members who are trustees of the Loan fund are E. M. Nealley, Mrs. Eleanor Northcross, Mrs. John Tessmann, and J. Russell Bruff.

#### Rename Velarde El Don Editor

Reappointment of Ed Velarde as editor of El Don for the fall semester next year was announced today. Although several former editors have served for an entire year, this will be the first time in the history of the paper that any editor has held the post from June to September.

"Velarde, a returning sophomore, has made a number of plans that he has not had time to fully develop and we are glad to give him this opportunity to complete his work," John H. McCoy, journalism director, stated.

Other students named for staff positions next semester include Gloria Kirchner, news editor; Betty Frye, society editor; Tom Powell, sports editor; and Carroll Richardson, feature editor. Harold Barrett will head the advertising staff and Bob Warren will retain the post of circulation manager.

Retiring members of the present newspaper staff are Mary Knoche, society editor, and Oscar Lieffers, feature editor. Larry Trickey, sports editor, left college several months ago.

## THANK YOU, BETA GAMMA

SANTA ANA, June 1. (To the Editor of El Don:)—So seldom do editors get sincere "build-ups," that I believe I owe you a real vote of thanks, on behalf of Beta Gamma, for again digging up the method of electing members to this extra-curricular honor society.

As the result of your editorial last week, we have taken action, and have revised the election system. At this writing, Mr. Flint, Mrs. Tessmann, Vic Rowland, and Al Pickhardt, chosen as a committee for revision, have just concluded a conference, submitting the new system.

We believe that under the new method of electing members, personal prejudice will be reduced to the lowest possible minimum. Formerly, it took but three members to "black-ball" a prospective candidate. Under the new sys-

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THIS ISSUE DEDICATED TO  
E. M. NEALLEY AND L. L. BEEMAN  
FOR  
OUTSTANDING SERVICE

#### To Hold Services In High School Auditorium

Commencement week activities for 153 jaysee graduates will open here Sunday, June 12, when the annual baccalaureate services will be held in the high school auditorium at 4 p.m. Director D. K. Hammond announced today that Dr. Carl Knopf, dean of the school of religion at the University of Southern California, will deliver the class sermon.

Dr. Remsen D. Bird, president of Occidental college, will speak at jaysee's twenty-second annual commencement on Friday, June 17, at 4 o'clock. The exercises will also be held in the local high school auditorium in order to accommodate the capacity crowd expected to witness the ceremonies.

#### GRADUATION SERVICES

Director Hammond said that Dr. Knopf had selected "Face Your Facts" as the subject of the baccalaureate sermon. Dr. Bird will address members of the 1938 class on the topic, "Education in Hard Times." Special music for both occasions is being arranged by Miss Myrtle A. Martin and Alan A. (Continued on page 2)

#### Plan New Courses For Next Year

Two new courses will be available for jaysee students next semester, it was learned today from Director D. K. Hammond. Other courses will be expanded to afford a more complete and practical curriculum, he said.

Far Eastern history, which will cover China and Japan, will be one of the new electives with Mrs. John Tessmann as the probable instructor. A course in English history, the second new elective, may also be taught by Mrs. Tessmann, Mr. Hammond revealed.

A new instructor will be added to the faculty to handle a regular secretarial finishing class. This will also include office procedure and mimeographing.

A new building is to be erected in the rear of BE to accommodate the increasing need for a larger aviation course, taught by Harold A. Moomaw, Mr. Hammond declared.

#### IS EDITOR AGAIN



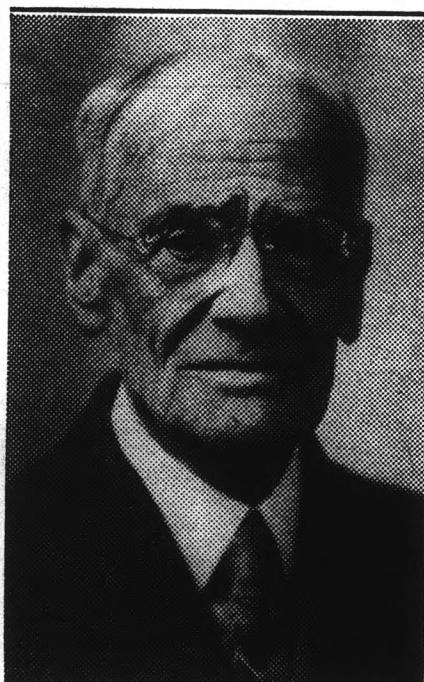
ED VELARDE who was reappointed editor of El Don for the fall semester. Journalism Director John H. McCoy announced the appointment today along with other staff posts.

#### NEALLEY, BEEMAN—EMINENT LEADERS

At the end of the current semester, Instructors E. M. Nealley and L. L. Beeman conclude 21 and 17 years, respectively, of teaching in Santa Ana Junior college.

In the duration of their teaching duties here, the two instructors have distinguished themselves as leaders in their respective fields. Mr. Nealley has been outstanding in philosophical, economic, and religious thought in the community, while Mr. Beeman has been eminent in economics, political science, and history.

#### E. M. NEALLEY



#### Students, Alumni And Teachers Fete Vets

E. M. Nealley and L. L. Beeman who have instructed jaysee students in philosophy and political science for 21 and 17 years, respectively, bid adieu to the college at the end of the current semester.

The two veteran faculty members were feted at a banquet held in their honor early this week by the present teaching staff, students, and the Alumni association. Tribute was paid to the two men for the outstanding work they have done as members of the faculty.

Dr. J. E. Boodin, professor of philosophy at the University of California at Los Angeles, was the chief speaker.

A summary of the careers of the outgoing instructors was read by Director D. K. Hammond. He said that the retirement of the two veterans was the first break in the nucleus of the old group which has been teaching since the founding of the college.

The Associated Students presented a cash token to Mr. Nealley and Mr. Beeman in appreciation of their services to the college.

#### Phillips Resumes Classes Monday

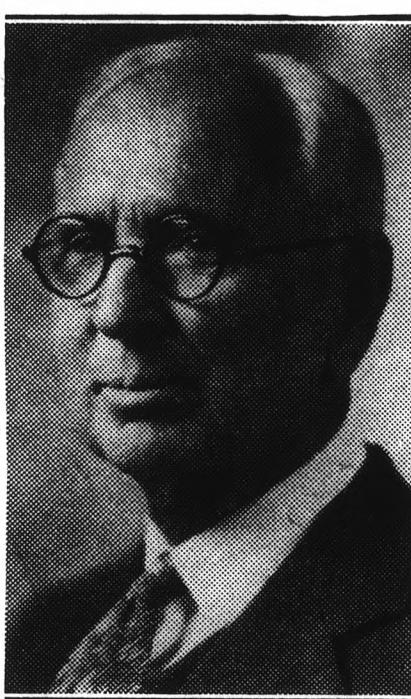
Ernest Crozier Phillips, head of the drama department, is scheduled to report from classes Monday after having been confined to his bed the past week because of the flu. His classes have not been meeting.

#### TO SPEAK HERE



DR. REMSEN D. BIRD, president of Occidental college, will deliver the commencement address when 153 sophomores receive the associate of arts degree Friday, June 17.

#### L. L. BEEMAN



#### Fees Must Be Paid, Says Secretary

Stating that candidates for graduation must pay all their debts to the college before they receive their diplomas, Mrs. Violet Bartholomew, office secretary, revealed today that fees are now due.

The fees charged graduates include the cost of the graduation picture for the annual; all change of program fines; library fines; bookstore obligations; as well as debts contracted by the student through the Emergency fund. Personal debts contracted by students with the jaysee are also due, it was stated.

Mrs. Bartholomew urged that all delinquent monetary obligations of the graduate should be paid at the earliest possible date to avoid conflicting with the graduation exercises.

#### Display Original Designs Soon

Original design drawings to appear in Del Ano, college yearbook, will be on display next week in the jaysee library, Miss Frances Egge, art advisor for Del Ano, announced today.

Designs have been the work of six art students. They include Jo Butler, Irene Krisher, Lucille Yensen, Virginia Becklet, Margie Lee Brown, and Wanda Todd. Pastels, rubbed pastels, poster paints, and drawing ink were used in completing the drawings which were then lithographed, Miss Egge said.

"The difficult problem the art staff faced in making the designs was planning the art work to be in harmony with the photographs used throughout the book," Miss Egge explained.

## JAYSEE SOCIETY

## Hold Spring Sport Dance Tonight

Final plans were made today for the annual Gaucho Spring Sport dance to be held at the Santa Ana Country club tonight. Jerry Roland, president of the group is in charge of arrangements.

Gaucho members and their guests will attend a dinner at Danger's before the dance, Roland said. The dinner will begin at 7 o'clock and the dance will begin at 9 p. m. A gardinia for each guest will form the favors for the dinner.

Les Thuit and his orchestra will furnish the music for the dance. About twenty alumni members are expected to attend the affair, Roland revealed.

Bids will sell for 50 cents and this is the only Associated Student Body dance which is not a formal affair, it was stated. Corsages are not in order, Roland said.

## 153 To Graduate From Jaysee On June 17

(Continued from page 1) Revill of the college music department.

The all-college banquet, an annual feature of commencement week activities, will be held at the Santa Ana Country club on Thursday evening, June 16, at 6:30 o'clock.

## PLAN ALUMNI REUNION

Alumni of the college will hold their annual reunion on commencement day at the local YWCA at 7:30 p. m. A special program for the occasion is being arranged by President Otto Grigg and Mrs. Violet Bartholomew, secretary of the alumni organization.

Examination of this year's tentative graduation list, released today by Registrar Mabel G. Whiting, shows a total of 153 candidates for the degree Associate of Arts and 31 who expect to receive certificates in secretarial practice. These figures compare with 151 and 37, respectively, on last year's compilation.

## LIST GRADUATES

The following are candidates for the Associate of Arts degree:

Edward Alberts, Emaline Alford, Leonard Ash, Carl Aubrey, Bennie Beckman, Dorothy Baker, Harold Barnett, James Bartlett, Frances Bassett, Roberta Berry, George Bissett, Betty Bradley, Robert Bradley, Eleanor Brady, Ruth Budd, Beulah Cady, Lyndon Carman, Frances Carpenter, Paine Cave, George Christiansen; Robert V. Clark, Harriett Clarke, Margaret Clinton, Mary Coffman, Phillip Cook, Catherine Cooper, Claire Croughan, Ruth Curren, Milford Dahl, Carolyn Davis, Walker Davis, Fred Dierker, Dorothy Dietler, Donilda Dillard, Marian Doty, Philip Dowds, Robert Dunning, Floyd Eilers, Catherine Eklund; Delmont Emerson, George Faul, Clyde Files, Josephine Flaherty, John Forsyth, Robert Fowler, LaVonne Franson, Jack Gardner, Dick Geeting, Robert Gilman, Mildred Goodwin, Jack Grady, Ines Granados, Virginia Lee Griffin, Merle Grisett, John Harvey, Verna Harvey, George Helberg, Mary Henderson, James Herrin;

**MORE GRADUATES** Marvin Hill, Marvin Clinton, Velma Holan, Mary Holtz, Maxine Huber, Tom Hudspeth, Dorothy Jenkins, Bille Johnson, Ted Johnston, Marjorie Kenyon, Robert King, Kenneth Kinney, Orville Knott, Barbara Knuth, Joe Kobayashi, Lee Kohler, Grant Kuschel, Oscar Lieffers, Robert Long, Helen Lowe;

William Ludlum, Herbert Lycan, John McBride, Mildred McCullough, Irene McFarland, Elaine McReynolds, Barbara Malcom, Wesley Marquart, Kenneth Marshall, Wilbur Marsters, John Matthews, Charles Maxwell, Melvin Maxwell, Blas Mercurio, Estes Merricks, Elmer Meyer, Helen Meyer, Leo Miller, Robert Millman; Betty Jane Moore, Charles Mueller, Maryann Newcomer, Roberta Nichols, Bill Nowotny, Kenneth Oliphant, Walter Opp, Lois Oursler, Gerald Page, Robert Pannell, Murray Patton, Clifford Peale, Richard Phillips, Dave Phoenix, Albert Pickhardt, Helen Pierce, Evangelie Piety, Hugh Plumb, Bob Prescott;

**OTHERS GRADUATING** Virginia Pritchard, Bob Reif, Evelyn Richards, Clinton Roberts, Nina June Robertson, Helen Rohrs, Jerry Roland, Victor Rowland, James Scheurick, William Schlosser, Esther Iolene Schmidt, Marjorie Schmidt, Dorothea Schroeder, Florence Schultz, Virginia Scott, Stanley Slaback, Georgia Snyder, Muriel Snyder;

Fred Stearns, Frederick Titensor, Delbert Tucker, Freda Wagner, Loren Wagner, William Wedel, Virginia Wells, Betty West, Anne Wetherell, Dorothy White, William White, Charles Williams, Virginia Wilson, Robert Witt, Delpha Wollert, Jack Yerington, Irwin Youel, and George Young.

**SECRETARIAL GRADUATES** Students who will have completed two years of secretarial practice are

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## BETROTHAL TOLD



COURTESY THE JOURNAL  
MARY LOU McFARLAND, former jaysee student whose engagement to Stewart Meece was announced recently. The couple plan to marry in October.

## Piloteers' Select Club Pins

Selection of the Piloteers' club pins was made at a meeting held this week. Gerry Peck and Marjorie Vollmer headed the committee for choosing designs.

Plans have been completed for the beach party this week-end at the home of Merle Swingle, Laguna. Phyllis Krock is in charge of the food. Mary Norwood is head of the transportation.

## Mexican Theme For All-College Dinner; Annual J. C. Banquet June 16

Following a Mexican theme, a Spanish trio has been engaged for the semi-formal all-college banquet, scheduled for 6:30 p. m. Thursday, June 16 at the Santa Ana Country club, Social Commissioner Peggy Paxton disclosed.

Bill Twist who will introduce the newly-elected executive board members and recently-appointed commissioners.

Tickets for the event will be on sale Monday in College hall in the main office and in the downstairs hall. The price for Associated Students is 75 cents; for others \$1.30, which includes the price for both the banquet and the dancing.

"Since there will be no sophomore breakfast this year," Miss Paxton asserted, "we are planning to make the banquet an even bigger success than it has been in past years."

## TALK O'THE TOWN

*A Preview of Fashions*

By RUTH LIGGETT

**YOU WILL BE SIMPLY DELIGHTED** when you see the good looking sun suits that have just arrived at the LaGrace Shop, 413 North Sycamore street. Styled by the famous Peggy Lou brand, they are made of materials linen and blistered crepe. They are lined in cotton knit so they might be worn in the water as well as on the beach. Some of them are made in two pieces. In the short the waist is elastic and tied with a clever silk cord. The bandanna is also held in place by elastic, and tied with cord.

**YOU WILL BE PROUD AS A PEACOCK** if you wear a pair of the new Peacock shoes, made of snakeskin, and shown at Newcombs, 111 West Fourth street. They come in pastel shades of pink, blue and also beige. You will find them styled in either good looking high heeled pumps or the popular dressy ties. To complete your leathers you will want one of the at-

## YWCA Will Meet Wednesday

Members of the Y. W. C. A. executive committee will meet Wednesday of next week to decide when new cabinet officers will be chosen, it was learned today from the newly-installed president, Stella Christ.

The final selection of cabinet members is not to be made until the fall semester, Miss Christ continued, since it is customary to elect several freshmen.

The executive committee is made up of the recently-elected officers, were installed at the Mother-Daughter banquet held a short time ago. They include: Miss Christ, president; Helen Hicks, vice president; Ruth Sato, secretary; and Peggy Paxton, treasurer.

## Former Graduates Wed Recently

Marry Anne Baxter and Bayard Ellwood Lindley former jaysee students were married at the First Presbyterian church of Santa Ana last week.

The bride was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Baxter of 826 South Birch street and Mr. Lindley is a resident of Santa Monica. The Rev. Dr. J. A. Stevenson, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church here, officiated at the ceremony.

A wedding supper was held at Daniger's following the rites with the bride and groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson as guests.

The young couple are honeymooning in Santa Barbara and plan to make their home in Santa Monica.



Today—

Los Gauchos Spring Sport dance.

Piloteer beach party at La-guna Beach.

Vera Getty dance recital at Santa Ana Senior high school for benefit of Student Loan Fund.

Tomorrow—

Subject A examination.

Sunday, June 5—

Buccaneer yacht party.

Monday, June 6—

Service clubs meet.

Wednesday, June 8—

Y.W.C.A. executive board meeting.

Friday, June 10—

Final examination begin.

## Barbara Speed Elected AWS Prexy After Man Disqualified

College authorities were considerably baffled this week by the "election" of Roy Potter, prominent member of the Bachelors club to the office of president of the Associated Women Students.

Potter's name was written in on approximately 90 ballots, while only 88 were cast for Barbara Speed, running on an uncontested ballot.

Rapid phoning was done by Josephine Butler, retiring president, who was in charge of the election to Mrs. Eleanor Northcross, dean of women. Because of technicalities, Mrs. Northcross declared Potter disqualified.

"Any girl in the college is automatically elected to membership in AWS" she stated. "Potter is not a member of AWS, and therefore cannot run for an office in the organization."

Miss Speed was automatically elected.

Other officers elected were Anna May Archer, vice-president, also running uncontested, and Juanita Stanfield for secretary-treasurer, who polled 47 votes to the 41 of Phyllis Kogler.

Retiring officers are president, Miss Butler; vice-president, Marian Baxter; and secretary-treasurer, Peggy Paxton.

## NYA Employs 100 Each Month

More than 100 students were employed by N.Y.A. each month during the past college year, tabulations for the nine-months period by Dean of Men Calvin C. Flint, head of the project, showed today.

Working as assistants to instructors, in science laboratories, in the college library, the weather bureau, and at various other campus duties, employed students aided not only their personal welfare, but college instructors and employees as well.



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# Distribute Del Ano June 9

## Credit Staff, and Advisers

Months of preparation have been devoted by both faculty members and students to Del Ano which soon appears on the jaysee campus.

Supervising plans and assisting the work were advisers Missances Egge, art; and George B. James, business; Mrs. Eleanor Northcross, literary; and Thomas Williams, printing.

Jaysee students responsible for publication under Editor Jack Gardner include Oscar Lieffers, general editor; Stanley Slaback, business manager; Mary Knoche, literature editor; Delpha Wollert, sophomore and freshman editor. Catherine Cooper, faculty editor; LaVonne Frandson, activities editor; Margaret Clinton, assistant activities editor; Marvin Hinton, organizations editor; Carroll Richardson, men's sport editor; Ruth Northart, women's sports editor. Others are Milford Dahl, photographer; Otto Huber, Joe Thompson, Bob Notley, assistant photographers; Fred Titensor and Kobayashi, layout editors; Linda Todd, Jo Butler, Irene Fisher, Virginia Beckler, Lucile Hansen, and Margie Lee Brown, staff.

## Musicians Elect New Officers

New officers were elected at the meeting of the Sigma Phi Sigma jaysee music club, held at the home of Gilman Brookings at New Beach.

The incoming officers are Anna May Archer, director; Mary Jeanover, concert-mistress; Ruth Ritzler, librarian; and Charles Peters, manager.

The new officers will replace a June Robertson director; El-Mae Hoxsie, concert-mistress; Anna May Archer, librarian; William Marsters, manager; and Onie Anderson, club reporter.

## Summer School Aids Student Deficiencies; Jaysee Opens Courses To Public

Sophomores who require additional units for graduation, and all senior college students who do not expect to be employed during July, should contemplate attending the summer school, Dean George Holmes urged today.

Courses are also available to students who have high school deficiencies. Teachers working for a bachelor's degree or to meet salary schedule requirements may likewise benefit from jaysee courses, Holmes stated.

### Summer Faculty

The summer faculty will include many of the regular junior college and Santa Ana High school instructors. The session will open Monday, June 20 and continue until Friday, July 29. Classes will be held from 10 a. m. to 12 noon. Registration may be made either June 17 or 18 E206.

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### EDITS '38 DEL ANO



JACK GARDNER, editor of Del Ano, jaysee yearbook, announced today that the annual will be available for distribution next Thursday morning in the student office.

## Freshman Days' Begin Sept. 6

"Freshman Days," traditional first-of-the-year period during which incoming prep school seniors become acquainted with jaysee life in general, will be held next semester on September 6, 7, and 8, it was announced today.

Due to the resignation of L. L. Beeman, in charge of the occasion in former years, another instructor, not yet appointed, will be elected to fill the post.

Inaugurated several years ago for the purpose of orientating newly-arriving freshman, "Freshman Day" has served to acquaint them with college traditions, college instructors, officials, and the various jaysee buildings. Addresses by officials, tours of the college plant, and entertainment by junior college students complete the period.

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Dedication of this year's book honors retiring instructors E. M. Nealley and L. L. Beeman in recognition of their many years of teaching in the local jaysee.

"The annual will be free to Associated Students. To others the price will be \$2.50," Gardner stated.

"A total of 600 books will be printed, and each will have 150 pages of pictures, stories, art, campus life, clubs, and many other things of interest to the students," the editor explained.

"Members of the staff will be presented with a copy of Del Ano with their names inscribed in gold letters on the cover," he revealed.

## Tavern Tattlers Meet Tuesday

Election of officers will be the chief business before the Tavern Tattlers at their last meeting of the school year, to be held in the home of Donn Hart, 120 North A street, Tustin, at 7:30 Tuesday evening.

The officers of the club this semester have been Catherine Cooper, president; Stanley Slaback, vice-president; and Margaret Clinton, secretary-treasurer.



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## Seek Aid From High Schools For New College Band

Plans were being formulated today by Bob Baines and Fred Beecher, jaysee students to visit surrounding high schools to discuss with interested seniors the formation of a jaysee band, Beecher disclosed today.

Jaysee students questioned have shown enthusiasm for such a band, Beecher stated, and support has been promised by Director D. K. Hammond and the Quarterback club, local business men's organization.

### BUDGET FUNDS

Money for the band has been included in next year's budget, and Director Hammond has promised aid in providing musical instruments and uniforms. There will probably be between 20 and 30 members, Beecher stated, since a larger number could not be easily transported by bus.

A dance band of about eight members will be chosen from volunteers, and if it is possible will rehearse during the summer vacation, Beecher said.

### COLLEGE CREDIT

The band will be organized as a two unit course under the direction of Alan A. Revill, music instructor, and will rehearse three times each week. Interested students are requested to see either Beecher or Baines immediately, or leave a note in their boxes.

Following are opinions voiced by several instructors and students concerning the band idea:

### LOCAL COMMENT

Mrs. Eleanor Northcross—It is an excellent scheme. The band at U. S. C. aided greatly in popularizing the college football team.

Calvin C. Flint—I am very anxious to see a jaysee band, if one can be organized.

Director D. K. Hammond—The college will support the band. It's now up to the students to organize.

Jo Butler—There is a definite need for a band to increase college spirit.

Vic Rowland—There is no excuse for a college of this size not having an organized band of its own.

Carl Aubrey—We need a band to show we have a music department worthy of being called such.

Virginia Wilson—An organized jaysee band is essential for cooperation between song leaders and the band. Last year the song leaders had no opportunity to rehearse with the band.

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## Thank You, Beta Gamma

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tem it will take one-third of the members present at the meeting for nomination to even refuse proposing the candidate's entrance. That is, a two-third vote by the members present MERELY RECOMMENDS the candidate to a FINAL AUTHORITY—a newly formed Beta Gamma executive committee, composed of the Director, the Dean of Men and Women, the Advisers of Beta Gamma, and the Social Commissioner. No candidate may become a member without the final consent of this executive board. If the executive committee feels an outstanding candidate is omitted from the list proposed by two-thirds of the members present, it may vote that neglected candidate into the club, if the board's consent is unanimous.

Fair enough? We think so.

Thanks, again.

DICK PHILLIPS  
President, Beta Gamma

## It's Just 'Hasta Luego'

It is with regret that El Don today publishes the final story and this bit of editorial comment on the retirement of two of jaysee's finest faculty members—E. M. Nealley and L. L. Beeman.

For the past 14 years, the campus paper has chronicled to the best of its ability the many activities of these two instructors. Their every effort has been a credit to the college, the city, and the county as a whole. Their accomplishments and records as teachers place them far above the ordinary type of instructor. Their help and inspiration has aided all those in jaysee and has made of this a better and finer college.

To Mr. Nealley, we take this last opportunity to thank him for countless favors. We will miss his friendliness, his advice, his keen intellectual mind—and his charts.

To Mr. Beeman, we wish to publicly express our appreciation for his splendid advice and counsel, for his untiring efforts as adviser for Freshmen Days, for his interest and enthusiasm for a new campus. We will ever admire his stonewall defense of the college in the recent controversy with a local editor, a discussion and fight he won by "sticking to the facts."

Jaysee is losing two tried and true Dons—two who will never be replaced by time, or by money. To us they are the finest product that any college could ever point with pride.

## Editorial Pot - Shots:

Dr. John Brown Mason, prominent member of the jaysee faculty for the past year, has resigned to be an instructor at Fresno State college. We regret to see this popular faculty member leave us after so short a stay. We know he will leave our midst with but the finest recollections. We wish Dr. Mason the best!

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It's that time again. Commencement, we mean.

Each year at this time, thousands of students are turned out into the world of industry to find their ways. They are given all kinds of advice. Here's ours: "Keep your chins up and don't take any wooden nickels!"

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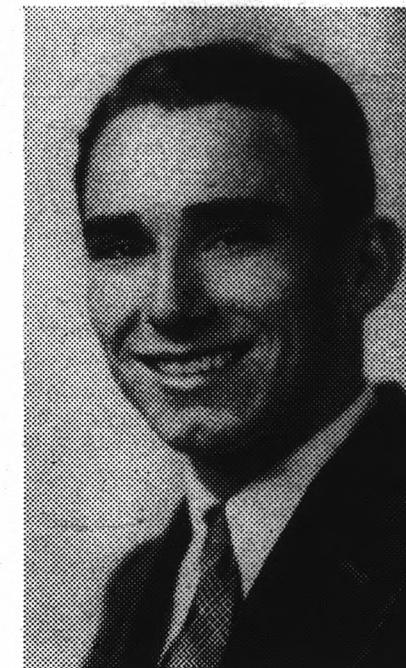
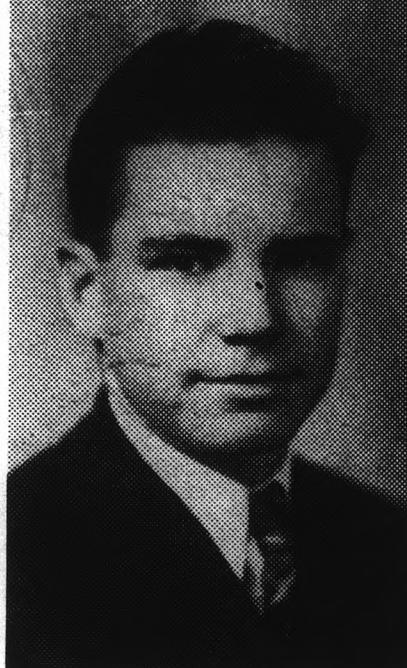
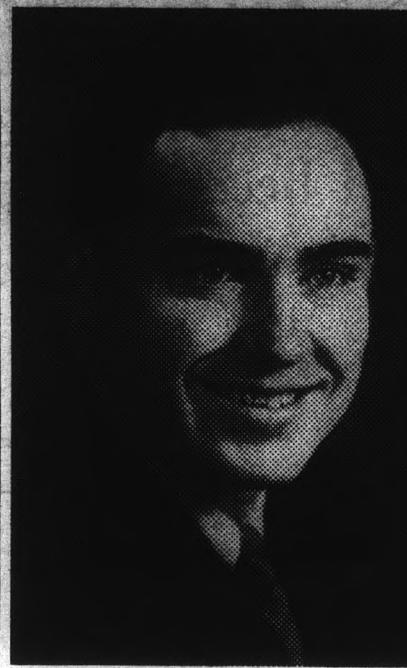
With this issue, El Don bids "goodbye" for another college year.

During the current publication period, we have tried to reflect the activities of the students and faculty. We have tried to express our opinions in the editorial columns with frankness and sincerity. We have tried to make El Don an enjoyable paper for the readers, and yet to make it a journalism laboratory for those interested directly in its publication.

It is with these thoughts that we submit our last edition and reaffirm our policy of always having in mind the good of the college. We may have been somewhat objectionable, or perhaps too sentimental, but let no one say we were not sincere.—The Editor.

## EL DON

### DON FORENSIC STARS FACE CAMERA



JAYSEE DEBATERS finished second in the Eastern conference this season with a record of 14 wins against 10 defeats. Those who represented the college in league competition included (top) James Bartlett and Christine Burbank, and (below) Ernest Barrett and Jack Hutton. Miss Burbank won second honors in the women's extemporaneous speaking contest sponsored by the league.

## Old Newspaper Reveals That Lincoln Was Not a Leader

Abraham Lincoln was not a leader, he was a follower!

Not more than 74 years ago the New York Illustrated News, a newspaper printed in New York, made this statement in one of its bulletins prior to the election of presidents for the ensuing term.

This paper is the property of Robert Dunning, jaysee student.

Quoting the newspaper, it says: "Mr. Lincoln is a kindly man, but he is not of the stuff of which leaders and great men are made; and therefore, he is not the man for a crisis which requires vigor, and originality of thought, boldness and energy of action; in short, he is a follower, not a leader."

Evidently the Gettysburg Address had not yet found its true place in the historic literature values of our American democracy for the paper continues: "Mr. Lincoln has had an opportunity to place his name at the head of the list of chiefs, patriots, heroes, and reformers—but he has missed his golden chance—he has not feared to think or act in accordance with his higher instincts, but he has been swayed altogether by the wind as it blew strongest from the North, or the South, or the East, or the West."

Our better known historians agree that today there is not a better known man in the entire world for his honesty, homely virtue, his integrity, and his thoughtfulness, than was Abraham Lincoln, but: "The fact that he has

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Emaline Alford, Thelma Allen, Donna Baker, Margaret Crowell, Velma Holland, Grant Kuechel, Jean McBurney, Irene McFarland, LaVene Parks, Helen Pierce, Iolene Schmidt, Virginia Scott, and Lucille Shaw.

Candidates for one-year secretarial certificates are Bill Beeman, Audrey Bennett, Ellen Blake, June Bowcutt, Barbara Cook, Mary Cornwall, Marjorie Haden, Elsa Mae Hoxie, Kay Klepke, Betty Lenderman, Barbara Lindsay, Janice Marguerat, Helen Moore, Zanelli Morton, Virginia Shepard, Gloria Sohre, Gladys Wilcox, and Grace Louise Wilson.

## Instructors Attend Club Convention

Miss Dorothy Decker and Miss Genevieve Humiston, commerce instructors, and Registrar Mabel G. Whiting attended the annual Professional Women's club convention in Santa Barbara last week.

Miss Decker is president of the southern district of the California organization, was given a position on the state board of the club. Miss Humiston is corresponding secretary for the southern district.

## Music Club Holds Last Concert

Sigma Phi Sigma, jaysee music club, held its semester concert last night at the high school's Little theatre. Nina June Robertson, club director, assisted in the musical arrangements.

The program consisted of vocal solos by Ruth Switzler, Margaret Davies, Richard Harbottle, Horace Evans, James Haarstead, Miss Robertson, and Wilbur Marsters.

Violin solos were given by Charlotte Stafford; Piano solos by Maxine Huber and Phyllis Krock; a cello solo by Anna May Archer, and a cello duet by Betty Hellums and Jack Lighthart.

## Girl Is Proposed To By Mail

When Mercedes Kellough, jaysee student, wrote her views "Chaperoning" to Elsie Robins, who writes an advice-to-American youth column for the Hearst papers, little did she realize that fame and fortune—to the extent of \$1000 was to be laid at her feet.

It was in October when Mercedes concocted her minor masterpiece on the art of chaperoning. She said, "I had been watching Elsie's column and noticed that no letters on chaperoning were printed. When she began offering \$1000 articles, I sat right down and began writing."

In two weeks, she received a request from the woman column for her picture to be run in all the Hearst papers with her letter. And it wasn't long until Mercedes made her appearance throughout the nation through the medium of the Hearst chain.

Then with the picture coupled with a piquant dash of literary refreshment running about, it was long until Mercedes began getting "male" mail.

First came the usual self-introductions with the usual self (and flattering) descriptions from beaux, brummells, and wolves in sheep's clothing. She even received proposals for matrimonial mergers and promises that knew no bounds. TOM POWELL

## Give Comment On Short Skirt Fad

The long and the short of it, a familiar saying that might well be used again in applying to the controversy of the long skirt versus the short skirt.

Women usually try to please men. So college men were asked just what they thought of the new trend from long skirts to short. Here are some of their answers.

Bill McNeill: It depends on who wears them.

Bob Alexander: I don't especially care for them.

Hugh Plumb: I refuse to commit myself.

Vic Rowland: Yes and no, but more frequently, yes.

Bill Twist: It's all right, if they are not knock-kneed or bowlegged.

Lester Bowman: Lousy.

Ted Johnston: Depending upon limb structure.

Bob Prescott: I don't like them.

Tom Powell: Long skirts look more graceful.—RUTH LIGGETT

## GRADUATION BULLETIN!

on what the  
fellows  
are wearing

They are buying Sports Coats at \$10.85 (a special group for Graduates), herringbone coats at \$12.50 and \$17.50 . . . they're buying the new gabardines at \$7.50, the finer Bedford cords at \$10 . . . all kinds of Sports Shirts from \$1 to \$7.50 . . . and they like Curtis white shoes at \$5 and \$6.85.

That's the way it's going! We have everything that's right, new, and moderate in price . . . drop in and see for yourself.

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